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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<b>In re the Application of:</b>	)	<b>Customer No.:</b>	49,637
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Steven M. STEFANIK et al.	)	<b>Confirmation No.:</b>	5622
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<b>Serial No.:</b> 10/058,173	)	<b>Group Art Unit:</b>	2194
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<b>Filed:</b> January 25, 2002	)	<b>Examiner:</b>	Zhen, Li B.
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<b>For:</b> METHOD OF SOFTWARE	)	<b>Atty. Docket No.:</b>	3779.ACCESS.ASA
DISTRIBUTION BETWEEN	)		
PORTABLE COMPUTER	)	<b>Final Office Action</b>	July 2, 2007
SYSTEMS	)	<b>Dated:</b>	

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir/Madam:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the application as follows:

**Claims Listings** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.